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BONAPARTE ESTATE IS NOW IN RUINS

U. S. Home of Napoleons' Kin Is Sold by Court.

Bordertown, N. J.—Point Breeze, the country estate that was home to Joseph Bonaparte, Comte de Survilliers and former king of Naples and of Spain, during 20 years of his exile, has been sold under the auctioneer's hammer.

Little remains on the dilapidated estate to identify it as the American home of Napoleon's brother. A beautiful artificial lake once dotted with swans and pleasure craft is a dry, weed-filled depression, remnants of the lake house crumbling at one edge.

The lake house was built by Joseph for his daughter, Princess Zenaide, and near by is the entrance to a subterranean passage which he built to protect her from bad weather on her frequent visits to her father's home, of which there is no trace. The stone-lined passage now is clogged by debris and earth 20 feet from its entrance.

Joseph's first home was destroyed by fire in 1820, but there remains no trace today of the manor house he built to replace it. The only house at Point Breeze now is a mansion built 80 years ago and remodeled in 1912 by Harris Hammond, son of the late mining engineer, John Hays Hammond.

Bonaparte bought the 1,000-acre estate for $10,000 shortly after his flight to Philadelphia with his secretary and nine servants following his brother's crushing defeat at Waterloo.

Hammond had the grounds landscaped extensively when he bought the remaining 242 acres of the estate 25 years ago, built three swimming pools and used it as a summer home until 1932.

Charles Forko, caretaker, and his family have attempted to keep the grounds well groomed, but weeds and the elements have done much to return Point Breeze to a state of dilapidation.

Several months ago Hammond filed a petition in bankruptcy in New York federal court and the remnants of Bonaparte's once-proud estate were sold to satisfy a judgment.

Play Safe

Many of you readers of this regular traffic safety paragraph will remember how, 23 years ago this week, the United States was aroused by the sinking of the Lusitania. Twelve hundred livves were lost in this maritime tragedy. But every 11 days of the year, according to the 1937 averages compiled by the National Safety Council, this many lives were lost in traffic accidents in the United States. In 1915, the loss of this many lives meant the entire nation was aroused to a war-like pitch. Today few people except the families of the victims realise how great is the tragedy. But with your help, these accidents can be stopped. Your part in the organized campaign against accidents is to drive with EXTRA care and walk with EXTRA caution.

SAN MATEO COUNTY TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMISSION

SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR VET DIES IN ATHERTON

William A. Saliceti, 60-year-old resident of Atherton and Spanish-American War veteran died Tuesday evening at the Atherton home of his sister, Mrs. Fred Craddock. He apparently suffered a heart attack.

Mr. Saliceti was the father of David anr Jerry Saliceti and the brother of Mrs. D. M. Garvey of Burlingame. He was born in Mayfield.

Dr. and Mrs. L. E. Harris were called to Watsonville yesterday on account of the funeral of Mrs. Bessie Miller, an old friend of the family. Dr. Harris conducted the service.

WORK WANTED — Housework, washing, sewing, or care for children. Call 773 Santa Cruz avenue, Menlo Park. 5-13

Presbyterian Church Services Sunday

Following are the services as announced for the Presbyterian church by the Rev. W. L. Staub, pastor.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. in charge of Superintendent John H. Heltzel.

Morning worship at 11 o'clock at which time the Pastor, Rev. W. L. Staubfi will speak on "The Nightengle Song" "The Lord is My Shepherd will be sung by the choir and the "City Unseen will be sung by Mr. and Mrs. D. Weston. "Mother of Mine" will be sung by Wm. Luscomb.

The Juniors will have flowers for each one at the door as they come in.

The young people will meet at 6:45 p. m.

The evening service at 7:45 will be a song and praise service, the following pregram being given.

"Nearer My God to Thee," choir.
"Evening Prayer," Jean Heltzel.
"More Can Be," Mrs. Lloyd and Ray Hubbard.
"Songs of the Old Village Choir" Don Weston.
"The Shrine at Mother's Knee," Mrs. H. H. Bearce and Jean Heltzel.
"Mother Machree," Bob Cooper.
"Lullaby," Mr. and Mrs. William Luscomb.
"When He Gave Me You," Sam Mallon.
"The House of the Lord", the choir.

There will also be the singing of many old and familiary hyms.

Horned Toads Declared Not Natives of Texas

Dallas, Texas.—The horned toad, hopping along over rocks and cacti, is accepted by most Texans as a native of the Lone Star state. But William S. Kinchloe of Washington told a woman's club here that the reptile was brought to Texas from Mexico to rid a farm of red ants.

Dr. Gideon Linecum, great-grandfather of Kinchloe, owned some land in Texas and red ants were about to take the place, Kinchloe said. Dr. Kinecum while on a medical and botanical expedition into central Mexico saw the horned toads devouring ants and other crawling insects.

"The doctor gathered hundreds of the hardy toads and brought them back to Texas," Kinchloe said. "It not only solved his ant problem but those of surrounding landowners, because the toads began multiplying and soon scattered in all directions."

Mosquito Is a Lady if It Bites, Says Scientist

Washington.—Don't look now, but that's a female mosquito taking a chunk out of your arm.

According to a report made public by entomologists of the United States Department of Agriculture, after years of painful study, the female is the only member of the mosquito family equipped with a set of needle-like organs that allow her to puncture the skin.

The "lady" mosquito does not bite humans just to make them suffer. She must have a blood diet.

Included in the report were other facts, such as salt water swamp mosquitoes are capable of flying 20 to 25 miles from their hatching grounds; the majority of the insects are night flyers, and some live two to three months.

LOCAL BOYC ON AIR NEXT TUESDAY NITE OVER KPO

Local people will be pleased to know that Menlo Park will again shine forth when her sons go on the air for a broadcast program.

On Tuesday evening from 8:15 to 9:15 over KPO Benny Walker's amateur program will present Albert Wasserman and Melvin Hoss will take part in the program. The number will be the German Band Hungry Five is the act, and local fans are asked to tune in and then send in their favoring vote.

The other members of the troupe are: Bill Steele, leader, San Carlos; Clyde Plant and Ted Fishe rof Redwood City.

Mrs. Jas. O'Keefe Dies At Home Here

Mrs. Ellen M. O'Keefe, a pioneer resident of this city, passed away at the family home in Menlo Park at 8:30 o'clock Wednesday morning. Mrs. O'Keefe had been in failing healt for the past four years and was seriously ill from last Thursday. At her bedside when she passed away were her husband, James T. O'Keefe; her son, James T. O'Keefe Jr., city attorney, and one daughter Mrs. Russell Buchanan of this city. Another dughter, Mrs. Raymond F. Law of Phoenix, was enroute here at the time her mother passed away.

Mrs. O'Keefe was born in Half Moon Bay 60 years ago and has been a resident of Menlo Park for more than thirty years.

Mrs. O'Keefe leaves to mourn her loss, in addition to her immediate family, three brothers, George Gilcrest of San Francisco, Charles Gilcrest of North Palo Alto and John Gircrest of Half Moon Bay, and a half-sister, Mrs. Mary Ryan of Mt. View.

During Mrs. O'Keefe's long residence in this city she has made a host of friends who will miss her for her kindly ways and the words love and cheer with which she was always ready to extend to one and all. She was always active in charitable work and was a prominent member of the Church of the Nativity of this city. The sympathy of the entire community goes out to the bereaved family.

Funeral services were held from the Church of the Nativity and was largely attended by her friends. The Frank Buzolich and Crowe Mortuary of Redwood City were in charge of the arrangements. Interment was in Holy Cross Cemetery in Menlo Park.

Sequoia Hi Students Win High Honors

Eight Sequoia Union high school students have recently won honors in various contests.

In the Toastmasters' oratorial contest Isabel Garcia, junior, was awarded first place and Nancy Needham, junior, second place.

Fred Padget, junior, and Sidney Neiderhauser, senior, won first and second place respectively in different weekly contests, which are sent to all science classes in the United States and are sponsored by the Current Science, weekly magazine.

Joan Lynn and Vera Graham, for feature and interview writing have won journalistic honors. For an interview entered in the national Scholastic Awards contest, Joan received first place in the state. Vera Graham took first place in feature writing in the Central California Press convention at Stanford.

Willis Rosser, sophomore, won third place in the state finals of the Crusaders' Speaking contest, last Friday night.

Third prize in the University of California's recent state-wide essay contest was awarded to Jorn Dusel, senior.

First place wa sawarded to Jane Bartlett in the local American Legion Citizenship Essay contest.

Representatives Go To Sacramento

Sequoi a Union high school has been offered the opportunity of sending representatives to the Model Youth legislature and the Boys State convention, both of which will deal with the problems of youth.

At the Model Youth legislature convention in Sa nFrancisco, May 6, 7, and 8, Sequoia will be represented by Betty Jane Atkinson, chairman; Bill Powell, Barbara Pierce and Jorn DiFranco.

Three boys, Charles Jewel, Jack Manders, and Pherron Muchmore, have signed up to attend the Boys' State group which will hold its convention in Sacramento, starting June 26 and continuing until July third.

School Paper Again Honored

Marking the sixth consecutive year of this achievement, the Sequoia Times, school paper of Sequoia Union high school, once again has received All-American honor ratings in the National Scholastic Press accosiation contest. Eight hundred out of a possible 1000 points were made, according to word recently sent Miss Louise Watkins, staff adviser.

Teachers Appreciate Work Of Principal

At a meeting of the teachers of the Menlo Park Schools called after the announcement of the resignation of the principal, Mr. W. S. Bower, who has been in the system for twenty-three years, the following resolution of appreciation was adopted:

We the teachers of the Menlo Park Elementary Schools, wish to expres spublicly our appreciation to Mr. W. S. Bower for hi smany years of faithful and efficient educational leadership.

His co-operation and high professional standards have been an inspiration to the teachers under his direction and a fine example to the children of this community.

Therefore, be it resolved, that we, as a group, g oon record with this expression of loyalty and appreciation.

(Signed) The Teachers of the Menlo Park Elementary Schools.

Echoes From The Orchestra

By Charles L. Huyck

The 15th annual observance of National Music Week, which began on May 1, was especially interesting this year because it marks the centenary of public school music. Just one hundred years ago Lowell Mason, after years of unpaid unselfish effort, persuaded the school department of Boston to give music an official place on its curriculum. The 3 R's, he said, prepare us for the world of business to come, but music makes up happy now, draws us together in companionship as well as harmony, and thereby promotes harmonious cooperation. Our business world today, 100 years later recognizes the friendly cooperative spirit as one of its greatest assets.

Local Club Women To Meet Monday

Mrs. George Webb will open her home on the Portola road Monday afternoon for a "strawberry tea" and meeting of the Menlo Park Woman's Club. Reports on the recent Los Angeles convention of the California State Federation of Women's Clubs will be presented by Mrs. Jay T Cooper and Mrs. Paul Alexander of Redwood City, and on the San Francisco District convention by Mrs. J. L. Ewers.

The members are requested to assemble at 1:45 o'clock.

Mrs. Catherine Derry and Mrs. Jack Doyle, members of San Mateo County Past Presidents' Association 9, Native Daughters of the Golden West, have returned from Grass Valley, where they attended the Grand Assembly last week.

Work on the new building on El Camino Real between Oak Grove and Santa Cruz avenues and next to the Derry Building is progressing rapidly.

Work on the pipe line through this city is progressing and it will soon be completed.

Local Business Man To Marry

Announcement has been made in Sacramento of the betrothal of Miss Jeanne McHle of that city to Dominic P. Ryan of Menlo Park.

The annauncement was made on Thursday evening of last week to Beta Sigma Phi sorority sisters of the bride-elect when she passed the traditional box of candy.

Miss McHale is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McHale of Sacramento and is a graduate of Stanford University, where she was a member of the Alpra Omicron Pi sorority. Both she and Mr. Rayn attended the Sacramento schools and Sacramento Junior College.

Mr. Ryan is a brother of J. William Ryan, of the Menlo Park Hardware, where he is employed. Dom, as Mr. Ryan is affectionately called by his many friends, is one of the city's most popular young men. He is also a great hunter, and no doubt the news of his forthcoming wedding is causing as much rejoicing among the deer and game birds, as it is among his friends, for they expect respite from the arduous task of dodging his straight-shooting gun.

It is reported that a summer wedding is being planed by the happy couple.

Mr. Ryan is receiving the congratulations of his friends here, who wish him the best of luck.

American Legion Notes Of Interest

The 26th District of the American Legion comprised of 12 Posts in San Mateo County, is sponsoring nine boys to be sent to Sacramento for a short intensive training.

These boys are to be picked according to scholastic standing from the seven high schools in the District. Two from Sequoia high, one of which is sponsored by Redwood City Post No. 105 and the other jointly by Menlo Park Post No. 443 and Belle Haven Post No. 472.

Several new faces were present at the local Post's regular meeting on Wednesday evning. Will Brandon of Atherton avenue, Walter L. Clark of Creek Drive and J. F. C. Hogens, Santa Cruz avenue, Menlo Park, and George K. Whitworth of Palo Alto.

Some very fine committee reports were given showing much activity.

Comrade Berry read amendments to the constitution and the same were approved.

Comrade M. L. Cook reported G. F. Rafferty as home home from Fort Miley hospital, Comrade Bierman improved but nothing favorable on Harold Smith's condition.

Comrade Beach reported at some length on Boys State and Boy Scout activities.

F. E. McClure reported progress on the Recorder records now being compiled, with much credit going to Comrade Bartges for the neat manner in which he posting the data. This will be a matter of permanent record in the Post and of inestimable worth in time of an emergency.

Phil Blanchard is arranging a good program for Memorial Day. The Auxiliary president, Mrs. Ross and First Vice President Mildred McClure offered the Auxiliary's services on making wreaths. Mrs. McClure is Poppy Day chairman.

Comrades Whitworth and Hagens gave interesting talks on a prospective Memorial site in the heart of old Camp Fremont.

Commander Ditterich appointed F. E. McClure as chairman of unemployment.

Comrade Whitney reported on the membership committee as having many new members lined up for the coming year.

Refreshments were serve dafter adjournment.

City Clerk Fannie I. Kurtz, spent last week end in Napa.

Local School Principal Resigns

W. S. Bower, who for the past 23 years has been a teacher and the principal in the Menlo Park School system has tendered his resignation to the school trustees, to take effect at the close of this scrool year in June.

Mr. Bower has spent thirty-nine lang and eventful years in the teaching profession, the time being divided between the elemntary schools of San Joaquin, Santa Cruz, Contra Costa and San Mateo counties, with 23 years in this city, at the head of the local schools.

Mr. Bower said that he had reached the retirement age and that after he was through teaching he would continue to live in this city.

During the long years that Mr. Bower has been in Menlo Park he has made a host of friends among the business and professional people of the city, as well as among the parnts who have entrusted their children to his care. But by far the greater number of friends of the retiring principal are among the boys and girls who started and finished their elementary school education under his direction. It is rare indeed to hear any of those who have left the local schools and gone on to higher institutions of learning, say anything but the best of Mr. Bower.

A look at the records of pupils of the high school from Menlo Park shows by the high standing of these students, the quality of the foundation that has been built in the local school department.

Many are the expressions of regret that are heard over the fact that a man who has given the best years of his life that others might be benefitted, has retired from that responsibility, and all wish Mr. many years of success in the future.

Air Mail Week Celebration May 15

The post office department will celebrate the twentieth anniversary of the first airmail flight during the week of May 15-21, 1938.

The city of Menlo Park is asked to do its share toward the celebration and Mayor James E. Cooper has issued a prclamation asking everyone to co-operate in making this celebration a success.

Mr. E. R. Paolini, president of the Business Improvement Club of Menlo Park, is heading a committee to select an appropriae cachet, which will be placed on all air mail letters leaving Menlo Park during that week.

Mayor Cooper, Fire Chief Thos. Cuff, and Mr. Larry L. Johnston, president of the Lions Club are assisting in the preparations for the celebration.

To stimulate interest in the event Mr. John Tuttle of the post office staff is arranging for a fine model airplane display at the post office.

It might be suggested that a good way in which to celebrate air mail week would be to send all mail possible by air mail. This is a great service and a great advantage to the business man of today, and to make exclusive use, or nearly so, of the air lanes during the air mail week would go a long way toward incouraging those hardy and brave men who fly the mail in all kinds of weather and under all kinds of conditions.

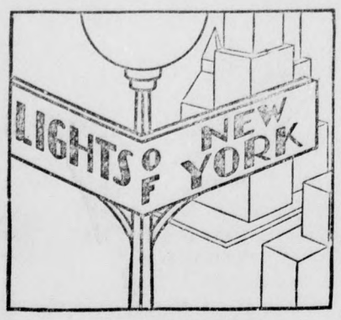
Try the airmail for a week and see how it seems.

According to a report from the San Mateo County Health Department Menlo Park has five new cases of whooping cugh at the present time.

Live Oak Lodge No. 171, I. O. O. F. of Palo Alto conferred the first degree last night at their hall in that city.

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By L. L. STEVENSON

It wasn't so long ago that Benjamin Winter, rather short and pudgy and wearing wrinkled clothes and scuffed shoes, was worth $27,000,000. His real estate firm had holdings with an estimated value of $60,000,000. Four hundred million dollars had passed through his hands. Known as the man who "transformed Fifth avenue," he paid W. K. Vanderbilt $4,000,000 for his graystone chateau; Vincent Astor, $2,700,000 for the famous Astor mansion at Sixty-fifth street; Arthur Curtiss James, $4,000,000 for an apartment house at 988 Fifth avenue. When Winter bought, the wreckers came. Mansions on which millions had been expended were razed ruthlessly and new structures took their places. It has been said of Winter that he knows Fifth avenue as a man knows his back yard or a guide knows the trails of the woods. To deal in millions was not at all difficult for him—he merely forgot the ciphers.

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Winter reached the peak of his fortune a little more than a quarter of a century after he had come to this country as an immigrant boy from Poland with a cash capital of two worn $1 bills. In the old country, his family had had money and he had attended art school. When relatives asked his occupation, he replied, "Painter." So he was promptly apprenticed to a house painter. Having learned that trade, he became a contractor and from contractor graduated into the real estate business. At first, his operations were modest. He bought and sold uptown and gradually worked into the west side. Then came Fifth avenue. By that time, he had established his credit. He didn't need capital, merely credit and mortgages. In addition, he had to know where to sell at a profit. Thus, the millions.

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How the former immigrant boy acquired the Astor mansion is an illustration of Winter shrewdness. The property was not for sale. Astor didn't need the money. That didn't discourage Winter. He put up the argument that mansions belonged to the gay '90s. That difficulties in obtaining and maintaining a staff of servants were increasing constantly. That parties were no longer held in homes but in hotels. Astor paid no attention. Then Winter showed him that as he occupied the mansion only about 30 days a year, it cost him $40,000 a night to sleep there. Astor sold.

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Benjamin Winter, fifty-six years old, his hair thinning, his shoes and suits more shabby than 10 years ago, now lives in a rented Riverside drive apartment. His daughter, a Hunter college student, works in a department store Saturdays to earn $2 a week. Recently, Winter went into bankruptcy court. His debts were $8,500,000. His assets, those ciphers he had disregarded in the past. Freed from the insistence of creditors, he believes he can come back. More millions, he holds, are to be made in the further development of the mid-town section of New York.

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Speaking of millions, there were those three youths who tried to gain admission to the Paramount theater without paying the price. They climbed a lamppost, got onto the marquee and opened a window. One crawled through and presumably saw the show. The second one upset and broke a $250 vase. The noise brought ushers on the run. He escaped by taking an 18-foot leap to the street. The third member of the trio was caught on the marquee and went to jail.

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Then there were the backers of the Mercury theater and a wooden platform. To put on "Julius Caesar," they needed that platform. The owner wanted $125 cash for it. The actors offered him a quarter interest in the show. He laughed. So they went elsewhere and got a platform. "Julius Caesar" turned out to be a hit and a quarter interest would have meant thousands instead of $125 to the platform owner.

BOOST MENLO PARK !! !!

Spinach "Good for You," but Has Its Weak Points

Ithaca, N. Y.—Mothers may be over-rating the value of spinach when they plead with their children to "eat your spinach, dear, it's good for you."

For a long time the values of spinach have been extolled, but recently, according to Prof. Hazel Hauck, of the New York State college of economics, it has been discovered that spinach has its faults. Scientific experiments show that the calcium in spinach is now assimilated as easily as that in milk, Miss Hauck pointed out. This seems to be due to the oxalic acid in spinach, she said, which combines with the calcium not only in spinach but other foods as well, and becomes waste matter.

Spinach should not be discarded as unfit, but on the contrary should be eaten along with other green, leafy vegetables, it was suggested by Miss Hauck. No food is perfect, she explained, and even the best of foods may do harm if over emphasized.

"Many other greens are good in vitamin A and iron. Of the greens thus far tested those found to contain none or only a trace of oxalic acid are lettuce, kale, endive, Brussels sprouts, dandelion, mustard greens and turnip tops."

Franklin Institute Gets Orrey Used by Jefferson

Philadelphia.—The orrey used by Thomas Jefferson in his astronomical studies has been presented to the Franklin institute here.

The small, compact instrument which is used to represent the motions of planetary bodies was given to the institute by Judge Charles Sinkler of Philadelphia. It originally was held by a descendant of Jefferson, who passed it on to a Washington attorney.

Only six planets, Mercury, Venus, the Earth, Mars, Jupiter and Saturn, are shown, Uranus, Neptune and Pluto being discovered later.

The orrey was named after the earl of Orrey, who lived at the time of its invention in 1700. Jefferson's instrument fits into a mahogany case 8 inches long, 4 inches wide and 1⅜ inches deep.

Has Used Homemade False Teeth 13 Years

Gananoque, Ont. — Thirteen years ago John Garrah, now eighty-two years old, made a set of false teeth. Today they are still in use, and their maker and user pronounces himself "quite satisfied."

Dissatisfied with the teeth his dentist had made, Garrah decided to make his own set—of aluminum.

I made the mold in a molding shop, and the set of aluminum teeth was poured by the boss molder," he said. "The teeth were a little rough, so I used the file and made them to suit, and I have used them all these years. I can eat anything with comfort."

Two Log Cabins Stand to Recall Pact With Indians

Pierre, S. D.—Two abandoned log cabins still remain on historic Peoria Bottom, 12 miles north of here, as reminders of the site where a part of Gen. W. S. Harney's troops camped during the winter of 1855-56—just prior to the general's famous treaty with the Teton and Yankton Sioux at Fort Pierre the following spring.

One cabin was used as a dwelling by Yellow Hawk, noted Sans Arc chieftain, and later utilized by a farmer as a shed for several years.

Named for the "Peoria Belle," a steamboat that was crushed in the ice of the Missouri river near there, the Bottom also is the site of a large village of Arikara Indians who lived there more than a century ago.

Following the winter of 1855-56, General Harney held a conference with the Indians at Ft. Pierre in an effort to induce them to stop molesting travelers on the California trail during the gold rush days. When the treaty was concluded, it was agreed that 11 chiefs from each band, together with what braves were needed, would do police duty along the trail. The plan was new, sounded feasible, but never was ratified by the government.

Following a long illness, Henry H. Eaton, resident of Atherton, passed away Tuesday at the Palo Alto hospital at the aged of 83 years.

The Men Who Make America

By RAYMOND PITCAIRN
National Chairman Sentinels of the Republic

Again America is seeking with eager hope the road to progress and recovery.

Both government and private enterprise are participating in the search. Numerous plans have been proposed and vigorously debated. Some new charts have been introduced, and various old ones dusted off and re-submitted as guides to the lost path.

Just why a nation blessed above all others in security from invasion, in the scope and value of its natural resources, in the strength and vigor and intelligence of its people should suffer the blight of continued unemployment and halted production remains a puzzle to many. Yet the answer may lie before them in our own inspiring history.

When did America make its greatest strides in national development and the general well-being of all its people?

It was when the American people felt and demonstrated their faith in themselves as citizens.

It was when they expressed in their works and their attitudes the pride of pioneer ancestors whose courage, self-reliance, resourcefulness and thrift conquered a wilderness and built a nation.

It was in the days when men and women turned to themselves or to each other, rather than to political promises and political patronage, for help.

In the veins of the great majority of our people still flows the blood of such pioneers. In their characters still persist the strength and the courage of such fathers.

If Americans apply to their problems of today the strength, the self-reliance, the independence of spirit that distinguished those history-making forebears, if they look to themselves rather than to politics for achievement; then the way to progress that once stretched so wide, should open again. **They are the ones who built America. They are the ones who can restore it to an accustomed pace and prosperity.**

And the theorists who insist that they must rely on political aid and edicts for that progress simply don't understand the history or the basic character of the men who made—and make—America.

A marriage license has been issued to John B. Pedro, Jr., 21, Mountain View, and Jeanette Bressman, 18, of Menlo Park.

Combining seventeenth century diction and twentieth century illusions, Dr James Wood of the San Jose State college English department, has written a prologue for the forthcoming production by the San Jose Players of "The Beaux' Stratagem" by Farquhar.

Inasmuch as the play contains a prologue tha tis very difficult for a modern audience to understand, Dr Wood was requested to write a prologue which woud bridge the gap between the 17th and 20th centuries. He has written it in 21 rhymed coupets.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR Elementary School Trustee (School Code Section 2.873)

Notice is hereby given to the Electors of Menlo Park Elementary School District of San Mateo County, California, that the Annual Election for School Trustee for Menlo Park Eementary School District will be held at the Central Schoolhouse in said district on the first Friday in JUNE, viz, JUNE 3, 1938.

It will be necessary to elect one trustee for three years.

The polls will be open between the hours of 2 oclock P. M., and 6:30 o'clock P. M.

The officers appointed to conduct the election are:

Mrs. M. Gale, Inspector.
Helen Beach, Judge.
Mrs. L. Brown, Judge.

Signed:
F. W. JOHNSON,
GEO. R. ANGUS,
JOHN W. MOREY,
Clerk.

School Trustees Menlo Park Elementary School District.

Dated April 15, 1938

NOTE.—Notices must be posted in three public places in the district, not less than 30 days before the election, and, if there is a newspaper of general circulation published in the district, notices must be published therein once a week for three weeks before the election. (School Code sec. 2.873)

For other laws governing the election of School Trustees, see School Code sections 2.870 to 2.971 inclusive.

All qualified electors of the county who were registered in the precinct in which the election for school trustee is held at least 40 days before the election may vote thereat. (School Code section 2.878)

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CAMERAGRAPHS



TIME FOR ROMANCE, Lt. Frank Caufield, military aide to Governor Blanton Winship of Puerto Rico, tells his pretty fiancee, Miss Catherine LaLande of San Juan and New Orleans, La. Taking no chances, Lt. Caufield checks the hour given by the 400-year-old sun dial at La Fortaleza that has timed romances for four centuries with his ultra-modern Gruen curvex that's so new it's worn on the side of the wrist. Judging from Miss LaLande's smile, she's pleased with the verdict.



CHET LAUCK (right), the "Lum" of "Lum and Abner" heard Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays over the Columbia Network, was a cartoonist before he became a radio comic. He is shown here drawing his ov[illegible] cartoon conception of [illegible] "Abner." Con[illegible]

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! Chief Justice Charles Evans Hughes, with usual conservative manner, quietly attempts to evade photographers calling to greet him on his 76th birthday. He spent the day at his office in the Supreme Court Building.

IN THE SPRING a young girl's fancy—lightly turns to clothes, love and the outdoors. Ann Sheridan seems to be the outdoor type as she waits to hook a big one.

HE SMOKES—HE JOKES—[illegible] canned oil man is truly candy—he [illegible] a salute for all motorists who are using the new Cities Service motor oil: moves his head and arms and [illegible] cigarettes like a real station attendant. His voice invites passing motorists to have their oil tested on the [illegible] Cities Service To[illegible] motorists are applauding this new [illegible] testing method because it [illegible] all guess work on the part [illegible] and they can see for [illegible] the true condition of their

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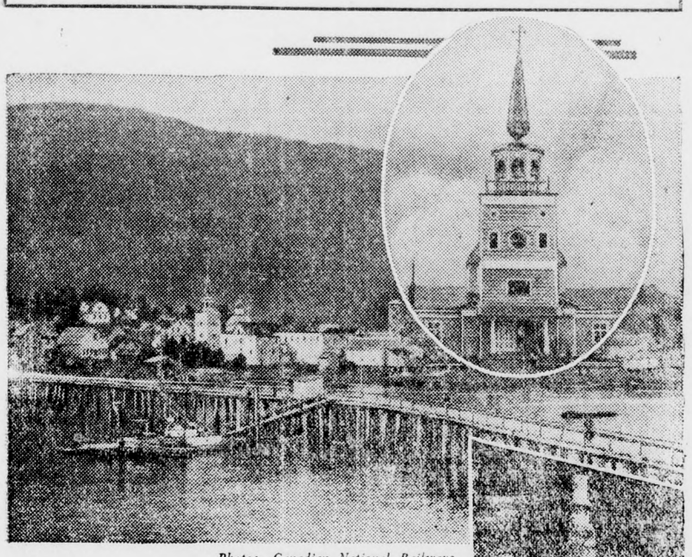
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Ghost Capital Of Lost Empire



Photos, Canadian National Railways

BEFORE Chicago was born, Sitka, Alaska, was a thriving center of trade and the capital of Russia's Empire in North America. It was founded in 1799 and it was in Sitka that the formal transfer of Alaska to the United States took place. With the discovery of gold in the interior, the prestige of Sitka dwindled rapidly and passed to Juneau but this year Sitka returns to the main trade routes again by becoming a port of call during the Alaska cruises of the C.N.S.S. Prince Robert. Although 70 years have passed since Alaska became American many evidences of the ancient Russian regime exist in Sitka. It contains also the best examples of original Indian totem poles to be found in Alaska. The photographs show a general view of Sitka; the old Russian Church which is still in use and the Trader Totem, the only totem in the world with a high hat.

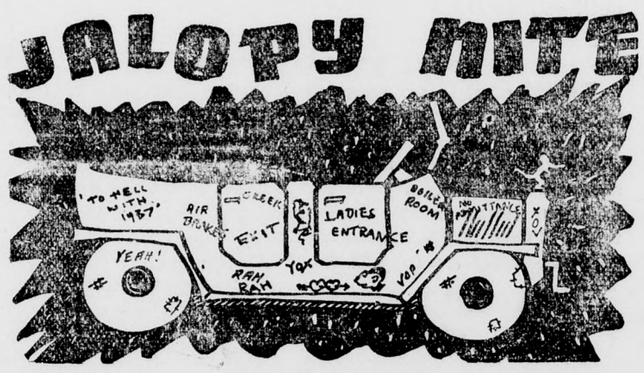
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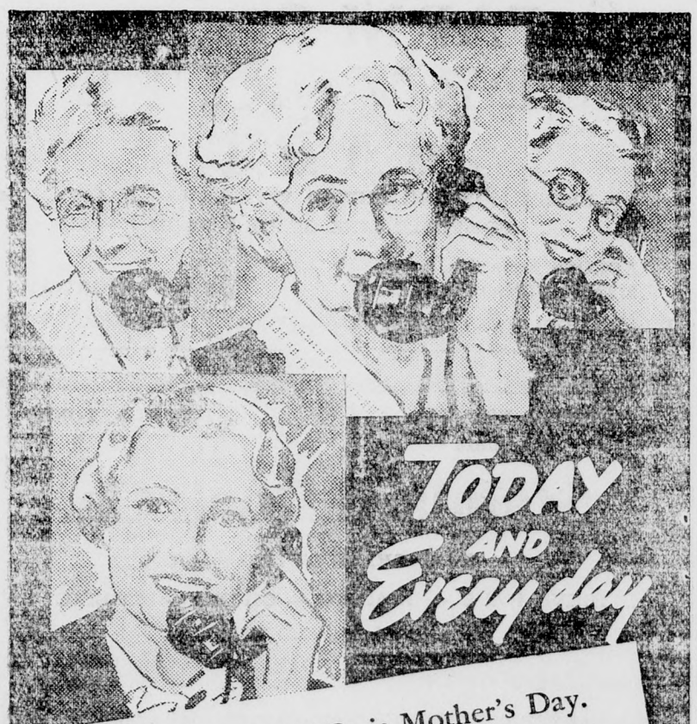
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'Graveyard of the Atlantic' Scene of Big Fight.

Hatteras, N. C.—Four hundred years ago some unknown ship broke up upon this "graveyard of the Atlantic" and thereby struck the banks a blow that left them shuddering ever since. Because of that ship, great dunes have rolled over and devoured mighty forests, storms have opened new inlets from ocean to sound, and have closed old inlets to navigation and the natural migration of fish.

The thin line of outer banks which create North Carolina's numerous sounds were built up by the ocean, and engineers think the slow building process would have continued except for that shipwreck and others which followed. Horses from the shipwrecks reached shore, bred into great droves of wild ponies which overran the banks, and pawed up the vegetation. When considerable areas of the land became thus exposed to wind and water, the erosion now threatening the geography of North Carolina began. It gained acceleration as it progressed, until Hatteras and the other serpentine islands became the easy prey of every whim of the elements.

Now the government is attempting to preserve the mile upon mile of lovely, wreck-strewn beach for a National Coastal park authorized by congress, and to anchor the banks down so that they will be more habitable for the fishermen who live there and the sportsmen who visit the region.

Battle Is Under Way.

For more than 150 miles, upon the stormy side of five thin islands, the battle against the waves and wind is under way, and for the first time engineers see a chance for victory.

Great mountains of loose sand which for years have drifted willy-nilly up and down the banks blotting out forests and freshwater lakes—sanctuaries of waterfowl—have been halted by plantings of beach grass or by sand fences which check short the momentum of wind-blown sand. Roundups have rid the islands of most of the wild ponies.

The battle has been carried right into the teeth of the Atlantic which is so turbulent in the region of dreaded Diamond shoals. For years the storms have wasted the beach, and the ocean has advanced so far that several years ago the government abandoned old Hatteras lighthouse, highest in the East, to the waves. Once it stood a mile from water, but recently high tides lapped the base of the tower.

Engineers of the beach erosion project, carried on by 800 CCC boys under the direction of the park service, have found a way to make the ocean give back the stolen land. At the top of the beach, at the crest of tides, they built fences—some of stakes and brush, some of jute.

Where the fences were, the waves built up ridges of sand—miniature dunes. The ridge became higher and higher, at last covering the fence completely. Another fence was built upon this new dune, forcing the beach bulwark on up.

Forces Atlantic Back.

Now a new fence is built several yards in front of the old one, between the new dune and the water. A second ridge is thus formed, and, as the beach shelf is built higher, the sea is forced back and dry land extended on out into the Atlantic.

A particularly successful fence was driven between menaced Hatteras lighthouse and the tides and now a great levee, man-planned but ocean - built, protects the tower from water.

Beach sand fixation was first successful when Kill Devil hill, a great mountain of sand, was anchored down after an expensive and difficult experiment. Constructors of the Wright aviation memorial tower refused to proceed until they had assurance that the errant dune would not be blown completely from under their monument. After using various plants, government experts finally succeeded in covering Kill Devil with a protective mat of grass, shrubs and trees. Kill Devil now is fixed at about a quarter of a mile from its location at the time of the Wrights' flight, while denuded dunes nearby move majestically around it.

Boys and Girls in Texas Leave Country for City

College Station, Texas. — Texas rural boys and girls are again looking in increasing numbers toward the bright lights of cities, Dr. C. Horace Hamilton, economist at the Texas A. & M. college, has found in a study of rural population trends.

Rural births topped rural deaths in Texas by some 33,000 in 1936, but the farm-to-city movement surpassed the city-to-farm trend by 47,000 persons, Dr. Hamilton's report showed.

An additional 12,000 Texas farmers sought new pastures in other states. City goers and those moving to other states left a decrease of 26,000 in Texas.

Auto 'Guest' Law Explained

Circumstances under which an automobile owner can be held liable for damages sustained by "guests," or un-paying passengers are definitely limited by laws adapted in California and a number of other states.

The guest suit law in California has been changed from time to time, progressively giving more protection to the car owner.

Ordinary negligence on the part of the owner as grounds for recovery of damages by a guest was first eliminated, and then even gross negligence was striken out.

Only wilful misconduct or driving while intoxicated remain as the grounds on which a person who has accepted a free ride can bring a damage suit in this state.

Prior to the enactment of guest suit laws by the various states damage judgements were often obtained in cases where ordinary ngligence was the most that could be harged to the driver, and numerous injustices occured. It was to correct this situation that the guest suit laws were evolved in California and the other states whih have adopted similiar legislation.

In general, these laws provide that persons riding as guests can not recover damages for injury in accidents unless they are able to prove gross negligence. In California, as stated, intoxication or a wilfully and deliberately dangerous act resulting in the accident must be proved.

In the absence of this kind of legislation in a number of states, motorists on long tours are cautioned to be careful with regard to transporing guests because of the possibility of incurring a damage suit. The practice of giving rides to hitch-hikers was cited as an example of this risk.

College Honors Charles H. Allen

San Jose State college honored Charles H. Allen, principal of the old San Jose Normal school from 1873 to 1889, with the dedication of a Hammond electric organ in the Morris Dailey auditorium yesterday evening.

The organ, a portable model, was purchased with a fund dedicated to Mr. Allen. It was played by Miss Margaret Thomas of the music faculty.

Principle speakers of the evening were Dr T. W. MacQuarrie, president of the college, Miss Lucy Washburn, member of the faculty during Allen's principalship, Carl Allen, his son, and Elinor Jung, president of the Allenian society, who opened the program with an address of welcome to 300 former graduates who attended the program.

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On the 22d day of April, 1938, before me personally appeared JOHN S. FACCHINO and ALBERT J. GIANNOTTI, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and they acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

Witness my hand and the seal of my office this 22d day of April, 1938.

L. L. JOHNSTON,
Notary Public in and for the County of San Mateo, State of California.

Bruce McMullen, Attorney for the said partners.

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Alaska Boy's Bellow Sends Bear Scooting

Seward, Alaska. — Alaskan bears may be able to out-run Seward boy scouts, but when it comes to yelling the louder—that's another matter.

During a scout outing on Lost Lake trail, two bears challenged the youths' approach to the cabins. One bear growled and charged.

One of the scouts opened his mouth and emitted a typical "Tarzan" bellow. The bear skidded to a stop, reared aloft, turned and dashed away in the opposite direction. The scout troop made the safety of the cabins in nothing flat.

Paints House at Eighty-one

Jefferson, Ohio.—Mrs. Clarissa Winch, eighty-one years old, and a grandmother, painted her house herself, climbing a ladder, wielding a paint brush and pointing out to amazed onlookers that "hard work never hurt anybody."

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Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock.

"Adam and Fallen Man" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon Sunday, May 8, in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

The Golden Text will be: "The Redeemer shall come to Zion, and unto them that turn from transgression in Jacob, saith the Lord" (Isaiah 59: 20). Other Bible citations will include: "Let no man deceive you wit hvain words: . . . For ye were sometimes darkness, but now are ye light in the Lord: walk as childre nof light: . . . And have no fellowship with the unfruitful works of darkness, but rather reprove them. . . . Wherefore he saith ,Awake thou that sleepest, and arise from the dead, and Christ shall give thee light" (Eph. 5: 6 8, 11, 14).

The Lesson-Sermon will also include the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "It is well that the upper portions of the brain represent the higher moral sentiments, as if hope were over prophesying thus: The human mind will sometime rise above all material and physical sense, exchanging it for spiritual precention, and exchanging human concepts for the divine consciousness" (p. 531).

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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Third Sunday After Easter

8:00 a. m.—Holy Communion.

11:00 a. m.—Morning Prayer and sermon. The Reverend Herbert T. Pateman, B. D., Episcopal Chaplain at Stanford University, will conduct the services and will preach the 11:00 o'clock service.

11:00—Church School in the Parish House.

Wednesday 7:30 p. m. — Choir practice.

Please keep May 20th clear on your calendar for the Convocation meeting at San Jose. The Presiding Bishop will be there.

Saturday afternoon, May 21st, Children's Service at Grace Cathedral. The Presiding Bishop will speak.

Wamen In The News Today

Dodging with diplomatic dexterity a task which has irked many a statesman before him, Joseph P. Kennedy, America's crusty little Ambassador to England, grimly opined last week that the customary presentation at the Court of St. James "has served no useful purpose to either country"— and scrapped the custom forthwith.

The Ambassador probably is right. And even if it weren't such a thankless job — choosing two or three dozen ladies from among the hundreds who regularly clam or for the social distinction of a Court presentation — it still isn't difficult to see practicality in Mr. Kennedy's point of view.

Certainly no English - American treaties or trade agreements ever have been broken because a Yankee lady was denied an appearance at St. James's. No international crises have been precipitated nor peace programs sacrificed because an American woman was or wasn't officiallly recognized at the English Court.

But the unofficial, undiplomatic repercussions which have echoed across the seas! The social thunderbolts which have been launched! The scintillating victories— the heart-breaking defeats— that the quaint old British custom has visited on socially inclined womankind!

Going through their presentation paces, ladies have borne physical torture leanring to walk, to curtsy, to manage a train, to acquit themselves elegantly at the ordeal. Tempers have been ruined and sweet dispositions poiled. More than a few Court successes have been known to culminate in nervous collape. Many an otherwise pleasant trip abroad has been completely ruined by the social necessity of a presentation in the family. And months have been sacrificed by weary fathers of debutantes, pulling social strings, hauling political wires, imposing on public officials, begging the favor of an appearance at St. James's.

Finally, among too many ladies who have made their bow in Court, arrogance and jealousy have been rampant. For unfortunately, the mere experience of walking into a royal presence, with feathers in her hair, has seemed to many a woman quite to set her apart from her sorority sisters and bridge companions back in Okanogan and Sunnyvale, U. S. A.

And though countless gracious ladies have survived the test nicely, considering all the aspects, perhaps the royal formalities at St James's, scrapped for the season by the American Ambassador, need not be too keenly missed by the world at large.

Turkish Girl Tarzan Is Taught by Nurses

Istanbul.—Nurses in the hospital near Istanbul are making slow, but they hope, sure, progress in teaching the girl Tarzan found by hunters in the wilds of Turkey a few weeks ago. They are instructing her to speak and hope to make a real human being out of her. The girl sprang out of a cavern at the hunters, growling like a young bear, wearing nothing, fighting with her teeth and nails. After a hard struggle she was captured and brought to Istanbul. She was about nine years old and obviously had been reared by bears living in a cavern.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF EXECUTRIX'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo.

In the Matteo of the Estate of William R. Hennies, Deceased. No. 7818, Dept No. 2.

Notice is hereby given, that Olga Hennies, Executrix of the estate of William R. Hennies, Deceased, will sell at private sale, in one parcel to the highest bidder, upon the terms hereinafter mentioned, and subject to confirmation by said court, on or after Saturday, the 14th day of May, 1938, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said William R. Hennies, Deceased, at the time of his death, which was an undivided one-half interest in and to the real property hereinafter described, and all the right, title and interest that the said estate has, by operation of law, or otherwise, acquired, other than or in addition to that of said deceassed, at the time of hi death, or, in and to that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the County of San Mateo, State of California, and more particularly described as follows, to wit:

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Terms and Conditions of Sale: Cash, in lawful currency of the United States; ten (10) per cent of the purchase money to be paid at the time of sale; balance on confirmation of sale. Deeds and abstract at the expense of the purchaser. The purchaser to assume the payment of, and take the property purchased by him subject to all the state and county taxes, and all assessments of whatever name or nature, which are now or may become hereafter chargable to or a lien against the property purchased by him.

All bids or offers must be in writing, and may be left at the office of Bruce McMullen, attorney for said Executrix, at 537 Santa Cruz avenue, Menlo Park, or may be delivered to said Executrix personally, in said County of San Mateo, or may be filed in the office of the clerk of this court, at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the making of the sale.

Dated: May 6, 1938.

(Signed) OLGA HENNIES, Executrix of the Estate of William R. Hennies, Deceased.

BRUCE McMULLEN, Attorney for Executrix.

(Time of Notice of Sale shortened, first publication in Menlo Park Recorder, Friday May 6, 1938, last publication Friday, May 13, 1938.

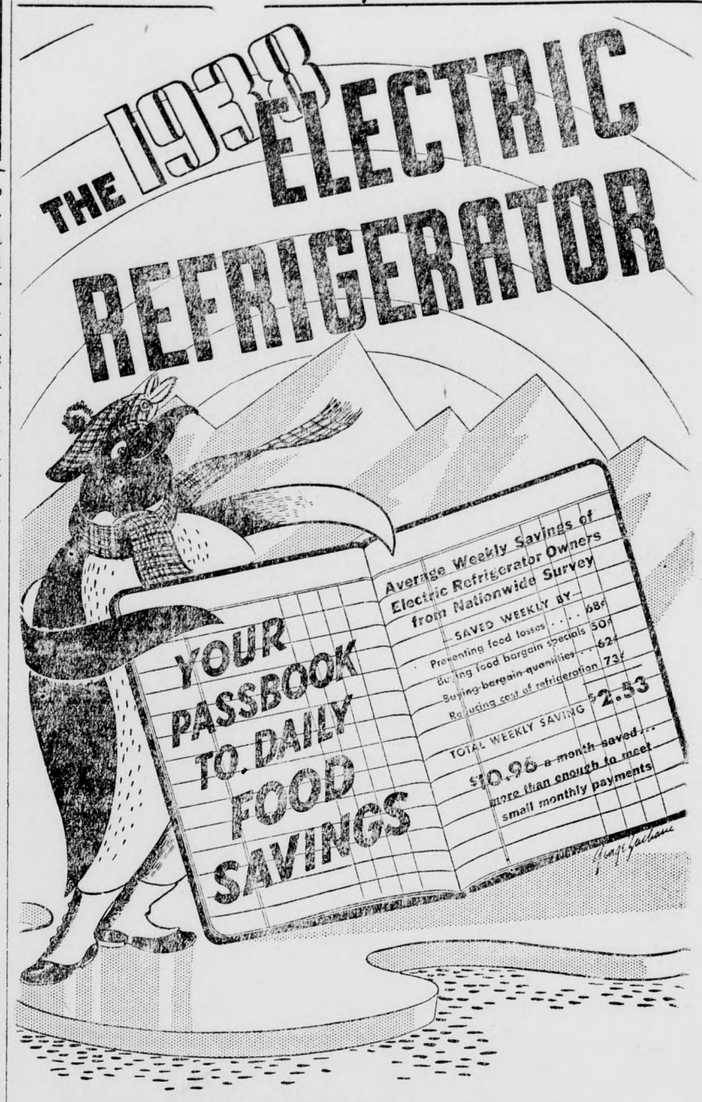
Gasoline Sales Show Decline For March

A sharp reduction in gasoline sales during the month of March was announced today in a report by the State Board of Equalization, showing a tax assessment levied against the distribution of 135,243,235 gallons.

The tax for the month amounted to $4,057,297.05, a loss of 6.51 per cent compared to the same month of 1937.

Despite the reduction in comparison with last year, the March income from the gasoline tax was substantially higher than the income of $3,564,705.33 reported for February, 1938. During the three months of the current calendar year a gain has shown only in February sales, the report said.

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